Docket No. AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER 1691-0177PUS2 Application No. Filing Date Examiner Art Unit 10/809,398-Conf. #07540 March 26, 2004 M. J. Song 1722 Applicant(s): Hiroyuki FUKUYAMA et al. SINGLE CRYSTALLINE ALUMINUM NITRIDE FILM, METHOD OF FORMING THE SAME, Invention: BASE SUBSTRATE FOR GROUP III ELEMENT NITRIDE FILM, LIGHT EMITTING DEVICE AND SURFACE ACOUSTIC WAVE DEVICE MS Amendment **Commissioner for Patents** P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below. **CLAIMS AS AMENDED** Claims Highest Remaining Number Number Previously Extra Claims After Amendment Paid Present Rate **Total Claims** 23 3 X Independent 1 3 Х Claims Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) Other fee (please specify): Extension for response within first month 120.00 TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT: 120.00 Small Entity x Large Entity No additional fee is required for this amendment. Please charge Deposit Account No. in the amount of \$ A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. x A check in the amount of \$ 120.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. X The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. x Credit any overpayment. Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17. Х SEP 0 6 2005 Dated: Marc S. Weiner Attorney Reg. No.: 32,181 BIRCH, STEWART, KOLASCH & BIRCH, LLP 8110 Gatehouse Rd Suite 100 East P.O. Box 747 Falls Church, Virginia 22040-0747

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